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Jocelyn G. Boyd, Esquire Chief Clerk & Administrator Public Service Commission of South Carolina 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100 Columbia, South Carolina 29210

RE: Petition of Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Incorporated to Suspend Routine Meter Testing for the Remainder of 2022

Docket No. 2022-156-G

Dear Ms. Boyd:

The South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS") is in the process of reviewing the request of Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc. ("PNG") to Suspend Routine Meter Testing for the Remainder of 2022 filed with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") in the above-referenced docket on, April 28, 2022, and has not yet completed its review. Accordingly, ORS respectfully requests any Commission vote on item seven (7) of its Utilities Agenda for the week of May 16, 2022, on the aforementioned matter be carried over to provide ORS additional time to complete its review.

Sincerely,

Andrew M. Bateman

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